



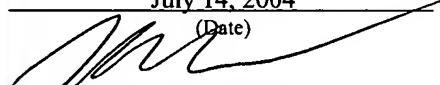
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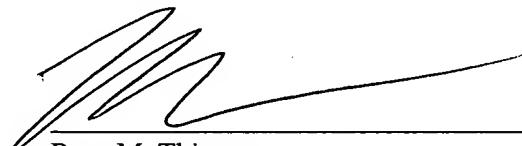
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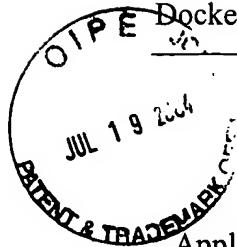
Dear Sir:

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- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.
- (X) A PTO Form 1449 with one (1) reference.
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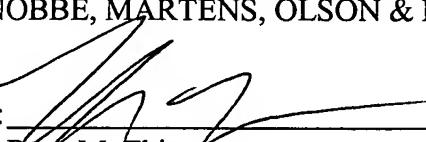
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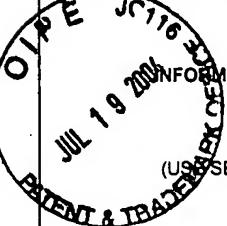

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